



National Guard as an Interoperable Partner

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A Message From The Director



“One of my key philosophies in preparing for emergency response is that the relationships you build prior to an incident are key to your success in support of that incident. You don’t want to meet the people you are supporting and working side-by-side with for the first time during an incident.”

“Communications Exercises are vitally important to developing those relationships that will lead to mission success during no-notice events.”

Major General Gregory Vadnais
Director, Department of Military and Veterans Affairs





Chain of Command



STATE

FEDERAL



Rick Snyder
Governor
State of Michigan
State Commander in Chief



Army & Air Units
Michigan National
Guard

Training & Readiness
In-State Security Operations
Domestic Operations
Civil Disturbances
Natural Disasters
Assist Law Enforcement

Federal Government provides
dollars, equipment and doctrine

When ordered by The President,
Michigan National Guard provides
forces to the Federal Government

Barack Obama
President
United States of America
National Commander in Chief



National Defense
National Emergencies

Army & Air Units
Michigan National
Guard

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Structure of the MI Nat'l Guard



Governor
Rick Snyder

Adjutant General
Major General Gregory Vadnais ★★

Army Land Component Cdr
Brigadier General Michael White ★

Cdr, Air National Guard
Brigadier General Leonard Isabelle ★

177th Military
Police Brigade

46th Military
Police Command

272nd Regional
Support Group

63rd Troop
Command

Battle Creek Air
National Guard
Base

Selfridge Air
National Guard
Base

Alpena Combat
Readiness
Training Center

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Structure of the MI Nat'l Guard

- Michigan Army National Guard
 - Approx. 8,600 Soldiers
 - 43 Armories Statewide
 - 2 Training Centers
 - Fort Custer Training Center
 - Camp Grayling Joint Maneuver Training Center
- Michigan Air National Guard
 - Approx. 2,700 Airmen
 - 3 Installations
 - Battle Creek Air National Guard Base
 - Selfridge Air National Guard Base
 - Alpena Combat Readiness Training Center
 - “Steelgate” Aerial Gunnery Range at Camp Grayling



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What We Have to Offer

Joint Incident Site Communications Capability



LMR Radio Caches

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What is the JISCC



- Rapid deployable communications system that:
 - Allows civilian emergency responders the ability to communicate seamlessly with each other as well as with military personnel on the ground.
 - Provides voice, data, video and radio accessibility between local, state and federal agencies.



What's Inside the JISCC



The JISCC consists of:

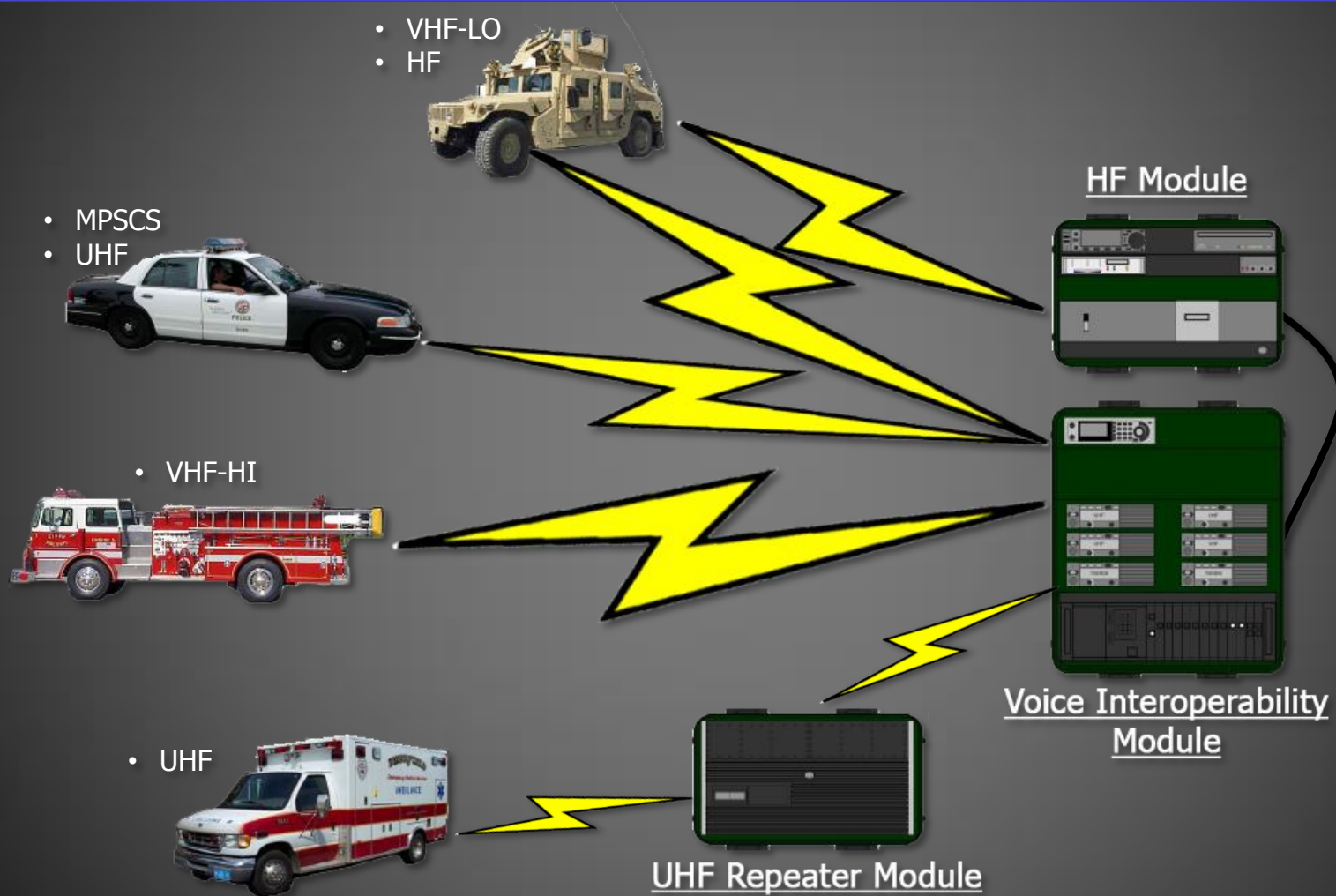
- Ku SATCOM Reachback
- Compliment of HF/VHF/UHF/800MHz Radios
- Voice Interoperability Gateway
- Video Teleconference Module
- Power Generation and Environmental Control
- IT equipment for extension of the desktop to the incident scene



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Interoperability of the JISCC



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How to Request Support



Real World Support Requirements

- All support requests for real world incidents/contingencies must be sent through the Michigan State Emergency Operations Center.
- Michigan National Guard forces providing Defense Support to Civil Authorities (DSCA) DO come at a cost.
 - Per Day Costs include pay, lodging and per diem for personnel required to support equipment requested.
 - Costs of transportation to and from the incident site or location of required support.
 - Cost of consumables that are required to provide the requested support.



How to Request Support



Exercise and Training Requests

- The JISCC team is excited to be involved in training exercises provided that the support can be provided within budget and manning constraints.
- The request process for Exercises
 - Send requests to the Michigan National Guard Joint Operations Center (JOC) at ng.mi.miarng.list.joint-ops-ctr@mail.mil or by phone at (517) 481-8031.
 - Director of Operations and Training (G3) determines if request can be supported within the current training budget.



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Questions?

